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In re Application of **MARK J. MILLER et al.**Application Number **09/531,996**Filed **March 20, 2000**

For **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MULTIPLE
ACCESS OVER A COMMUNICATION CHANNEL**

Art Unit **2634**Examiner **Cutris B. Odom**

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.


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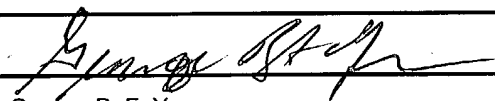
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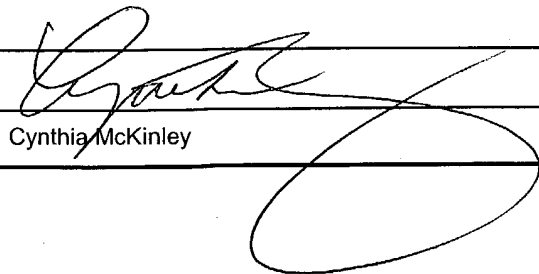
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